

## SECRETARY HAY MAKES STATEMENT

Recent Action of the State Department Explained.

### ALL THE POWERS NOTIFIED

That is to Say, Those Who Were Signatories of the Protocol at the Close of the Demonstration in China.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The state department, Saturday, issued this statement:

"After some preliminary exchange of views between this government and the governments of other powers interested in the Chinese matters, the department, on the 10th of February, sent the following instructions to the American representative in St. Petersburg, Tokio and Peking:

#### Text of Instructions.

"You will express to the minister for foreign affairs the earnest desire of the government of the United States that in the course of the military operations which have begun between Russia and Japan the neutrality of China and in all practicable ways her administrative entity shall be respected by both parties, and that the area of hostilities shall be localized and limited as much as possible, so that undue excitement and disturbance of the Chinese people may be prevented and the least possible loss to the commerce and intercourse of the world will be occasioned.

[Signed.] "JOHN HAY."

"At the same time this government informed all the powers signatory of the protocol at Peking of its action, and requested a similar action on their part."

#### Answers Come Slowly.

No answers to the above note in addition to those received Friday have been received at the state department. There is a hint that Austria will seek to avoid any participation in the belligerent representation to the belligerents on the ground that she has small concern in the matter but no formal answer has been made from her. England wants a more definite statement of the purpose and scope of the note. Secretary Hay is disinclined to yield to this wish. He thinks that it would be impossible to get the powers together if an attempt is made to very exactly define the purpose of concurrent action. So as to Manchuria the question is left open purposely as to whether or not Chinese administration is or is not in force in that war-swept territory. That is why the term "administrative entity" was used in Secretary Hay's note. It is a question of fact, to be determined later on, whether or not China does possess "administrative entity" in Manchuria.

#### Inexplicable Suspicion.

This suspicion engendered by the issue of the note is inexplicable to the authorities here. It is declared that the government has been animated by the most simple and direct purposes and has tried to express that fact in its note.

There is grave danger of the flight from Peking of the Chinese court if it is not speedily convinced that there is no danger of an invasion of China by one or the other of the belligerents. The state department has been warned by China itself that the result of this flight would certainly be a general uprising against foreigners that might result in massacres. And the end would be, perhaps, the disruption of China. In this event it is believed here that the neutral powers would make off with the lion's share, the belligerents being too much occupied to prevent them. This conviction on the part of officials here causes them to freely express the opinion that Russia will be guilty of a grave mistake if she rejects Secretary Hay's proposals. But if she does so, it is said that there will be no attempt made on our part to secure through force of arms the purposes stated in the note, in other words, the United States is not to be dragged into hostilities in the east.

### MRS. MAYBRICK'S LICENSE.

She Will Be Free From Espionage After Sunday, But Not at Liberty Till July.

London, Feb. 14.—Mrs. Maybrick's license, dated January 14, does not take effect until 30 days after the date, which is Sunday. The terms compel the residence in a home secreted by the home secretary until full liberty is granted, probably at the end of July. Sunday Mrs. Maybrick will be freed from espionage and her prison dress, becoming simply an inmate of the convent. The license states that in case of subsequent conviction of any offense her liberty will be forfeited and she will be compelled to serve the remainder of her sentence.

### State Bank of Pittsburgh Closed.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 14.—The State bank of Pittsburgh, a small institution, capitalized at \$50,000, was closed, Saturday by order of the state banking department. Albert L. Taber, of Philadelphia, state bank examiner, is temporarily in charge.

### Because His Wife Left Him.

St. Louis, Feb. 14.—Because his wife left him, last Sunday, it is said, to go away with another man, William P. Smith, an iron molder, took carbolic acid, Friday night, and died before reaching the city hospital.

### Ordered to Leave Port Said.

Port Said, Egypt, Feb. 14.—The Austrian collier Java, chartered by Russia to proceed to Port Arthur with coal, has been ordered by the Egyptian ministry of foreign affairs to leave immediately.

### Catched in the Ice.

Chicago, Feb. 14.—Two boats, believed to be the Empire State and the S. and M. P., of the Barry Bros. Transportation line, are caught in the ice off Evanston, Ill., 12 miles north of Chicago.

## WAS BENT UPON MISCHIEF

Arrest of a Steamship Passenger at Liverpool Loaded for Trouble.

He Had Eighteen Pounds of Dynamite and a Large Quantity of Detonators in His Trunk.

Liverpool, Feb. 13.—The customs officials found 18 pounds of dynamite and 2,300 detonators in the possession of an Austrian emigrant on board the White Star line steamer Majestic, which left New York, February 3, and arrived here Thursday.

The Austrian's trunk had a false bottom, under which the dynamite was concealed. The man, who gave the name of Ivan Sjnbeanok, and who ostensibly was bound for Carlsbad, was arrested and remanded until February 20.

### HE BOOKED AT PITTSBURG.

But Little Known of the Man By Officials on This Side.

New York, Feb. 13.—At the White Star office in this city it was said, Friday, that the correct name of the man under arrest is Ivan Lymanovic, and his age is 39 years. He booked at Pittsburgh some days ago, buying a ticket through to Carlsbad.

The officials declare that they know nothing of the man. The baggage of no passenger is examined, so they had no means of learning anything about him.

### MINIATURE CITY OF TENTS.

St. Louis World's Fair Visitors May, If They Desire, Get Tent Accommodations Near Grounds.

St. Louis, Feb. 13.—Nine representative St. Louis business men have perfected the incorporation of a unique hotel project for forming what is to be known as University Park encampment, to run during the World's fair period.

It is to be a tented city just outside the World's fair grounds, where visitors can rent sleeping accommodation at a nominal figure.

It is proposed to erect a large number of tents. They are to be double-topped, with wood floors, furnished with iron bedsteads and all modern conveniences, including electric lights. Work has already begun on sewerage and a tract, and a contract has been let to the West St. Louis Water Co. to lay mains.

According to plans, a dollar a day is to be charged each person. Most of the tents will be large, but smaller ones for couples and small families, and even single tents may be installed. Persons can rent these in advance for as many days as they like, which will also entitle them to a reduction in price. Compartments or tents rented ahead of time will be reserved on the payment in advance of the rental, which will be figured at 75 cents a day.

Police will guard the premises night and day. The plot will be enclosed with barbed wire fencing, and a central office with a safe will be on the grounds for the accommodation of the guests.

### PENNSYLVANIA PENSIONS.

Statistics of the Pension Department of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. for Four Years.

Philadelphia, Feb. 13.—Statistics compiled by the pension department of the Pennsylvania railroad show that in the four years the organization has been in operation \$1,221,087 has been expended for the relief of those entitled to consideration. The report gives the following yearly distributions: 1903, \$359,374; 1902, \$326,403; 1901, \$292,290; 1900, \$244,019. These expenditures do not include the cost of the department's operation, which is paid by the company.

In the four years' operation of the pension plan 2,126 employees have been retired as pensioners from the active service of the company. Of these, 527 have died. Of the total number retired, 426 were of the ages of 65 and 69 years. Of the total number retired, 348 were retired upon their own request, and with the approval of the employing office.

### PRESIDENT LINCOLN'S CAR.

It Was Shipped From Omaha to the World's Fair on Lincoln's Birthday Anniversary.

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 13.—The Union Pacific railroad, Friday, shipped the Lincoln car to St. Louis, where it will become part of the Lincoln museum at the World's fair. The car has been placed in condition to be moved and it was decorated in memory of the birth of the martyred president. It was recently sold to a concessionaire for the St. Louis exposition. The car is a historic one, it having served as the private car of President Lincoln during the civil war and carried his remains to Springfield for burial.

### Frank Loomis.

New York, Feb. 13.—Frank Loomis, for many years special counsel for the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Co., is dead at his home here. He was prominent in democratic circles and a leading member of the New York bar.

### Will Take the Cuban Loan.

Havana, Feb. 13.—Speyer & Co., of New York, have contracted to take the \$35,000,000 Cuban loan. The price to be paid for the bonds is 92½, which is ½ per cent. above the minimum.

### Diplomats Entertained.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Representatives of 14 powers attended Secretary Hay's weekly diplomatic reception Thursday. All came to inquire about the far eastern situation and the secretary's note to the powers.

### On Trial for Murder.

Columbia, Mo., Feb. 13.—The trial of Fleetwood Gordon, a recent graduate of the Missouri university law school, for the murder of Hugo Doeling, a Columbia restaurant keeper, is in progress in the Boone county circuit court.

## PORT ARTHUR IS REPORTED SEALED

Report Says Japs Have Landed and Fighting Is Reported.

### 19,000 LAND AT CHEMULPO

Japanese Land 600 Soldiers at Tashien Wen With Disastrous Results—Four Hundred Being Submerged by Cossacks.

Peking, Feb. 13.—Six thousand Japanese have been landed at Port Arthur.

### HAS SEALED PORT ARTHUR.

London, Feb. 13.—The Tokyo correspondent of the Times, cabling under date of Feb. 12, says: "It is said that the Japanese squadron has sealed Port Arthur."

### 410 JAPANESE WERE SAIBED.

London, Feb. 13.—A correspondent, under date of Feb. 12, says: "Official advice states that the Japanese landed 600 soldiers near Tashien Wen (Daly) with disastrous results, 410 being submerged by Cossacks. The remainder escaped to their ships."

It is further stated that the Japanese landed at Dove bay, where thirty of them were killed and the remainder retreated.

### 19,000 JAPANESE AT CHEMULPO.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 13. (12:45 a. m.)—A communication from Viceroy Alexieff, just received, confirms the report of the landing of 19,000 Japanese troops at Chemulpo.

### Second Heavy Engagement.

Dalny, Feb. 13.—The Russians are mounting guns at an old fort at the mouth of the river at Nien Chwang. Heavy firing has been heard at Ching Wan Tao all day. A second engagement is reported.

The garrison at Port Arthur numbers 6,000 men. The rest are distributed around the Yalu.

### Fire at Everything in Sight.

Che Foo, Feb. 13.—The whole Russian fleet has moved into the inner harbor. Torpedo boats remain outside on scouting duty. Five extra big guns have been mounted on the forts, and they are firing at every object suspected of being part of the enemy's fleet.

### Japanese Sink Ships.

London, Feb. 13.—A telegram received in London Sunday afternoon reports that the Russians bombarded the town of Fukuyama, at the southwest extremity of the island of Yezo. The vessels which did the bombardment are supposed to have been cruisers that have since been sunk by Japanese torpedoes in Tangara straits.

### Another Battle Off Port Arthur.

London, Feb. 13.—The Morning Leader's Tien Tsai correspondent telegraphs, under date of Friday: "Reports have reached here of further naval action off Port Arthur."

Before dawn Sunday two Japanese warships appeared off the port and opened fire with shells. The Russian batteries replied, and the Russian squadron moved out and also opened fire. The Japanese vessels retired, fighting as they went, but one, the name of which is unknown, was sunk.

The Japanese fleet arrived in time to re-encounter the remaining vessel, and a general action began, in which the Russian squadron suffered serious damage and was forced to retreat into the harbor.

### TO ISSUE MEDALS OF HONOR.

To Officers and Enlisted Men Who Distinguished Themselves by Gallantry in Action.

Washington, Feb. 13.—The senate committee on military affairs has offered a favorable report on a bill introduced by Senator Warren authorizing 3,000 medals of honor to be presented to such officers and enlisted men as have most distinguished themselves by gallantry in action. Medals may be issued to replace those which already have been granted. A proviso allows a medal to be issued to a person who distinguished himself during the civil war who was not recommended for or did not apply for the medal while in the service.

### SIX FIREMEN WERE INJURED.

Meriden, Conn., Visited by a Bad Fire, Which Caused the Complete Loss of the Town Hall.

Meriden, Conn., Feb. 13.—For eight hours Sunday firemen fought a fire which finally caused the complete destruction of the town hall and injuries to six men of the fire department. The loss is about \$130,000, of which amount about \$125,000 falls upon the town. The fire caught, it is believed, from crossed wires. None of the firemen was seriously injured.

### To Sell Philippine Certificates.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Secretary Taft has announced his intention to sell \$3,000,000 Philippine certificates as soon as he can arrange with the treasury department as to the legal status of the new issue and the availability of the bonds as a basis for bank circulation and security for deposit.

### Prohibitionists to Hold Convention.

Harrisburg, Ill., Feb. 13.—The Prohibitionists of White county will hold their convention at Carmi on Saturday, Feb. 23, at 1 o'clock p. m. A number of state workers will be present.

### Collieries to Resume March 1.

Shamokin, Pa., Feb. 13.—Notice was issued from the office of the Lehigh Valley Coal company Saturday that all the collieries in this district which have been idle since Oct. 1 will resume operations March 1. Two thousand men and boys will be given employment.

### Wilson Gets Life Sentence.

Paducah, Ky., Feb. 13.—Life imprisonment was Saturday given Lawrence Wilson, charged with assassinating his uncle, Lieut. Johnson at Cadiz.

## WILLIAM J. LEMP A SUICIDE

The Well-Known St. Louis Brewer Kills Himself by Shooting.

Grief Over the Recent Death of His Son Edward the Supposed Cause of the Act.

St. Louis, Feb. 14.—William J. Lemp, president of the Lemp Brewing Co., shot himself through the temple with a revolver at his home, 3322 Lemp avenue, at 9:30 o'clock Saturday forenoon, while in a fit of grief over the recent death of his son, Edward.

He died an hour later without having been conscious after the shot was fired.

The first known of the act at the brewery office was at a little after 9:30, when a messenger ran into the office and told a son of the brewer, to hurry to the residence a few doors away.

It was an hour later when word was received at the office that Mr. Lemp had shot himself and was dead.

From what can be learned Mr. Lemp arose at his wonted hour Saturday morning, ate a light breakfast and upon complaining that he did not feel well, returned to his room. He must have spent some time there in writing and making known his last earthly wishes. An hour later a shot was heard. Members of the household ran to the room, only to find the millionaire brewer in the last throes of death. He was partially clothed, and lay upon the bed with his revolver smoking on the blood-stained covers. The man's muscles twitched, he breathed heavily, a gaping wound in his temple told the story. Messengers were dispatched for physicians and Dr. Harmisch was the first to arrive.

"He is beyond all medical or surgical aid," the doctor stated. At 10 o'clock he passed away.

### DAMAGING TESTIMONY.

It Is Brought Out By the State in the Berry Murder Case at Norton, Kas.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 14.—A special to the Star from Norton, Kas., says: "In the trial of Chauncey Dewey, the millionaire ranchman, and his cowboys, Wm. J. McBride and Clyde Wilson, for the murder of Burchard Berry, damaging testimony, particularly against McBride, was brought out by the state. Beech Berry testified that on the day of the killing at the Berry farm he saw McBride from behind the water tank rise up and shoot Burchard Berry. He also stated that it was Dewey who had shot Roy Berry in the law."

Beech Berry told of going with Roy and Burchard on the fatal day to the home of Alphus Berry, another relative, where the shooting took place. "My father and Alphus," said he, "were near the water tank when we arrived, talking to three men. We rode into the yard and tied our horses, then started toward my father and Alphus. We had taken only a few steps when Chauncey Dewey rose from behind a sod wall and shot Roy, who was in the lead. I was next, and Burchard followed. As we started toward the tank, McBride jumped behind the tank and shot Burchard Berry, while Wilson shot at me from behind the wall and missed. The three shots were not over a second apart. I ran behind the barn with all three shooting at me. After I got behind the barn they kept shooting at the barn. I then ran to the house. One shot struck me in the leg. "Did you draw a revolver?" "No. After I got to the barn I drew my revolver, and as I ran toward the house I fired. I did not fire at anyone in particular, but just in the direction of the three."

### DARING CLUBHOUSE HOLDUP.

The Colonial Club at San Francisco Held Up and a General Clean-Out Made.

San Francisco, Feb. 14.—Five men entered the Colonial club, a resort frequented by leading sporting men in this city, Friday night. While one remained on guard, the others broke into the clubhouse and rounded up the inmates, who were lined up against the wall. They were then relieved of their valuables. From J. Schriber they took \$200 in coin, and from John Lyons \$295 in gold and a diamond stud and a diamond ring. Clarence Waterhouse forfeited \$1,000 coin and a diamond ring valued at \$1,000. Perry Quill gave up a diamond stud and ring, value unknown; J. Engstrom, \$300 and a diamond ring, and Hui Flint \$500 in gold and a diamond ring. The keys of the bank were then taken from Joe Harlan, and from the robbers got \$5,500 in gold coin. The victims were then bound hand and foot and laid face downward on the floor, two of the robbers being left in charge of them until the rest of the band had had sufficient time to get away in safety. They then extinguished the lights and made good their escape. No trace of the thieves has been so far obtainable.

### Rush Orders For the Missouri.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 14.—Norfolk police have been notified to round up all members of the crew of the battleship Missouri, now in Hampton roads, and send them immediately aboard the ship, which is under rush orders to sail.

### Two Men Burned to Death.

Kittanning, Pa., Feb. 14.—Aaron Davies and Richard Dady, mill men from Pittsburg, were burned to death, Friday, in a fire that completely destroyed the Cliff Springs inn, a handsome hotel. The other 25 guests in the house had narrow escapes.

### Defaulter Sentenced.

Oakland, Cal., Feb. 14.—W. A. McCowan, the defaulting secretary of the University of California, has been sentenced to serve six years and eleven months in San Quentin prison.

## ONE WEEK AFTER THE FIRE

The Energy Exhibited By the City of Baltimore Excites Admiration.

The Rapid Rebuilding of the Devastated District Must Be Accounted Most Extraordinary.

Baltimore, Feb. 15.—Just one week ago Sunday the great fire which destroyed eighty blocks and 2,500 houses in the business center of this city broke out, and seven days thereafter it may be truthfully said that the city has shown a recuperative power which must be accounted extraordinary.

The energy exhibited by Mayor McLane and the whole city government in bringing order out of chaos and the spirit of resolution shown by the merchants whose stores are now shapeless piles of debris has justly excited admiration on all sides. That the business community is sternly bent upon the rapid rebuilding of the devastated district has been made plainly manifest by the emergency committee which the mayor has appointed as an advisory board to himself and which, though without legal power, will practically exercise a potent jurisdiction in regulating the height and character of buildings, the opening of new streets, the erection of small parks on ground heretofore occupied by houses and in other matters related to the building up of a thoroughly modern city. This committee will also decide on what streets rebuilding may begin at once, so that improvements may be put under way without delay.

Though only five days have elapsed since the fire was checked the great majority of merchants who were burned out have found locations and have resumed business. Furniture dealers, jewelers, clothiers and others have already received new stocks and displayed them on shelves, counters and in windows, and every bank is doing business, although in restricted quarters. It is true, but the current of trade and financial transactions has begun to flow on as before.

### FAILED TO REACH A VERDICT.

Jury Deliberates for Twenty-Two Hours—Bail Fixed and Time for New Trial Set.

Farmington, Mo., Feb. 15.—After being out twenty-two hours the jury in the O. P. McCarver murder trial reported on Saturday afternoon that it could not agree upon a verdict, and was discharged by Judge Davis and the case set down for trial again on May 31.

McCarver was admitted to bail in the sum of \$10,000. It is reported that on the final ballot of the jurors ten were for a thirty-five year sentence and two for murder in the first degree.

McCarver shot and killed Henry Litt in Bentley & Ryan's saloon here on Nov. 14 last because Litt refused to drink with him.

### SAYS HE VIOLATED NO LAW.

Demurrer to Indictment Argued in Senator Burton's Case, But No Decision Was Rendered.

St. Louis, Feb. 15.—Judge Adams in the United States district court listened to argument on the demurrer of United States Senator J. R. Burton, of Kansas, to the indictment charging that he used his influence with the postoffice department to protect the Rialto Grain and Security company, from 10 o'clock Saturday morning until 3 o'clock in the afternoon. No decision was rendered, but as Judge Adams announced from the bench that he would leave the city Tuesday for a month's vacation he may announce his decision today.

Senator Burton contended, through his attorneys, that no law of the United States was violated by him; that the United States was not directly or indirectly interested in the matter of the issuance of an order which would serve to stop the transmission of mail to and from the company and that no question of government interest or policy was involved.

### JURY FINDS BURTON GUILTY.

Fixes His Imprisonment at Seventeen Years for Killing Edward Deatherage.

Edwardsville, Ill., Feb. 15.—Edgar Burton, indicted for the murder of Edward Deatherage in Madison on labor day last year, was found guilty by a jury in Edwardsville Saturday, and his punishment fixed at seventeen years in the penitentiary. The shooting occurred in Courtney's saloon in Madison, where Burton was a bartender. Deatherage and two companions created a disturbance there and threatened Burton. It was testified, and Burton shot Deatherage, who died about one month later. In the light of the verdicts in the Barco and Greathouse cases the verdict in this case is generally thought severe.

### Pay Depositors in Full.

Matthews, Ind., Feb. 15.—Notice was posted on the doors of the First National bank here Saturday that there would be a temporary suspension, but that all depositors would be paid in full. Nothing is known as to the assets and liabilities. The capital is \$25,000.

### Jury in Murder Case Disagrees.

Quincy, Ill., Feb. 15.—The jury in the Adams county criminal court failed to agree in the Gatts Seybold case. He had been on trial for ten days, charged with murdering John Brady.

### Death of a Well-Known Veteran.

Quincy, Mass., Feb. 15.—Former Chief Louis P. Webster, of the Boston fire department, died Sunday of paralysis, at the age of 69 years. He was well known to firemen all over the country and also to Grand Army men as he was a civil war veteran.

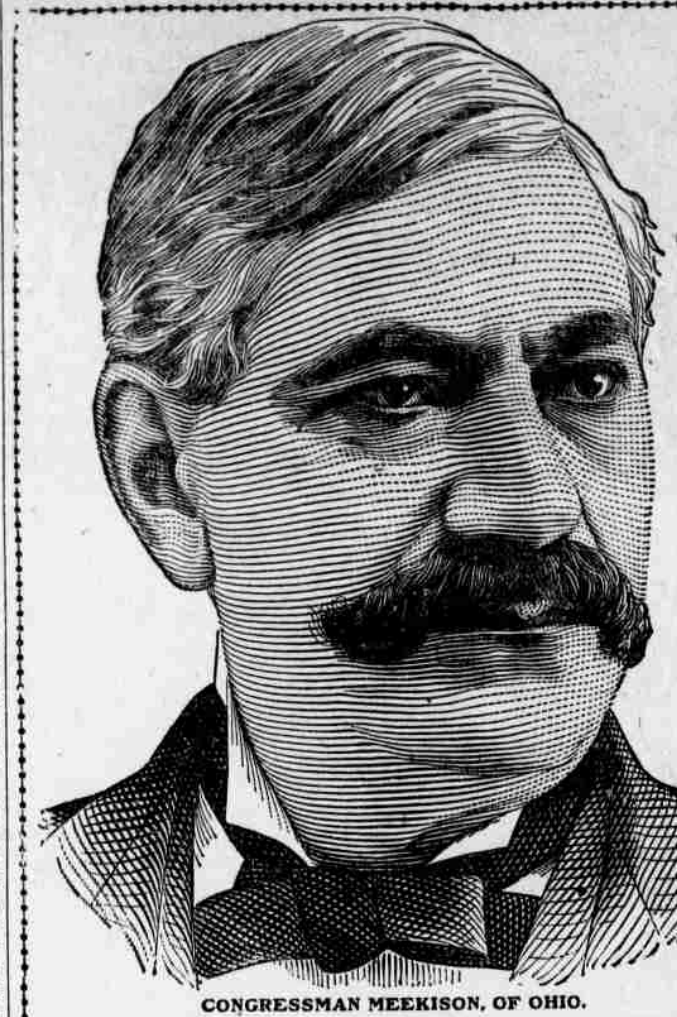
### Yale Professor Dead.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 15.—Prof. Charles Emerson Beecher, Ph. D., professor of paleontology and curator of Peabody museum at Yale, died Sunday.

## FOR THIRTY YEARS

Congressman Meekison Suffered With Catarrh—Read His Endorsement of Per-na.

Only one man has ever been able to eradicate the disease of thirty years' standing. —David Meekison, ex-Member of Congress.



CONGRESSMAN MEEKISON, OF OHIO.

Hon. David Meekison is well known, not only in his own State but throughout America. He began his political career by serving four consecutive terms as Mayor of the town in which he lives, during which time he became widely known as the founder of the Meekison Bank of Napoleon, Ohio. He was elected to the Fifty-fifth Congress by a very large majority, and is the acknowledged leader of his party in his section of the State.

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"I have used several bottles of Per-na and I feel greatly benefited thereby from my catarrh of the head. I feel encouraged to believe that if I use it a short time longer I will be fully able to eradicate the disease of thirty years' standing." —David Meekison, ex-Member of Congress.

### THE season of catching cold is upon us.

The cough and the sneeze and nasal twang are to be heard on every hand. The origin of chronic catarrh, the most common and dreadful of diseases, is a cold.

This is the way the chronic catarrh generally begins. A person catches cold, which hangs on longer than usual. The cold generally starts in the head and throat. Then follows a sore throat, the air passages which incline one to catch cold very easily. At last the person has a cold all the while seemingly, more or less discharge from the nose, hawking, spitting, frequent clearing of the throat, nostrils stopped up, full feeling in the head and sore, inflamed throat.

The best time to treat catarrh is at the very beginning. A bottle of Per-na properly used never fails to cure a common cold, thus preventing chronic catarrh.

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